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CONNECTING...

Nova Southeastern University Libraries Newsletter

JOINT-USE LIBRARY GAINS UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FROM COMMISSIONERS

On June 8, 1999, the Broward County Commissioners approved the NSU/Broward County joint-use library proposal by a vote of 7-0. The facility will cost \$41.3 million and will include 275,000 square feet distributed over five floors. The new Library, Research, and Information Technology Center will be built on the west end of the lake, directly across the lake from the Horvitz Administration Building. Initially, four floors will be built out with a commitment from the County to build out the fifth floor when needed during the first ten years after the building is occupied. Broward County will pay half of the construction cost and 40 percent of the annual operating cost. After the first five years the County will pay 50% of the annual operating costs. During the first three years the County will contribute \$4.5 million toward collection development and \$1 million+ per year beginning with the fourth year.

The County has agreed to provide 37 new positions for the library and 18 new positions for the electronic classrooms. The new facility and staff will be managed by NSU. The new staff will be employees of NSU.

"Seamless" is the best way to describe how the new

facility will function. "Synergy" is a good word to describe the benefits received from this joint-use endeavor. The County and the University will realize benefits that neither could have achieved from individual efforts (in the joint effort $1 + 1 = 3$). Broward County residents will have access to a research and hi tech library. The University will have access to many more books/journals and electronic resources. Services will be strengthened via the enlargement in the staff.

A large auditorium will enable the University to hold special events for our students, faculty, staff, and the community. The building is being designed as a dynamic educational force, user friendly, inviting, and engaging.

If things go well, the new building should be completed in early fall in the year 2000.

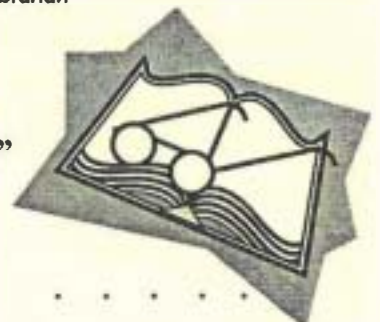
I am pleased to announce that Suzi Hayes has agreed to serve as a special assistant to me for various aspects of the new building (e.g., selecting furniture, writing specifications for reference/circulation desks, writing RFPs, working with the architect and vendors). Your assistance to and cooperation with Suzi will be genuinely appreciated.

Don Riggs

Vice President for Information Services & University Librarian

"Information is the currency of democracy."

---- Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826)





Would you like to know which magazines, newspapers, journals, government documents, and much more are owned by hundreds of libraries in 33 Florida counties?

The Einstein Library and the Law Library are part of a network of libraries participating in the SHELLS – Serials Holdings Electronic Library Lists – project. SHELLS makes library collections more accessible to library patrons and is Florida's Web version of a regional Union List of Serials.

This new tool is a finding aid to more than 54,000 unique titles and 229,000 holdings records. SHELLS is a joint project of three of Florida's six multitype library cooperatives – Southeast Florida Library Information Network (SEFLIN), Central Florida Library Cooperative (CFLC), and Panhandle Library Access Network (PLAN) – and their member libraries.

For more information on how you can use SHELLS, please see an Einstein Library reference staff member or go to <http://www.seflin.org/shells>. SHELLS is funded (in whole or in part) under the Library Services Technology Act (LSTA) grant program funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

WIN a \$10 Gift Certificate to SAN FRANCISCO BURRITO COMPANY

(Voted Best Burrito)

HOW: Be the first one to correctly answer the FIVE questions in this newsletter. E-mail the answers to Beth Cohen at ecohen@nsu.nova.edu
CONTEST START DATE: July 6, 1999

CORPORATE RUN/WALK

The Einstein Library was well represented at the Annual Corporate 5K Run/Walk held in Fort Lauderdale on April 22. The participants from the library included **Mair Bonnin (and baby), Beth Cohen, Kathleen Dunleavy, Yvette Gilkes, Peggy Madison, Nora Quinlan, Johanna Tunon, and Kathleen Turner.** Everyone ran and/or walked the distance of 3.2 miles in under one hour. This group has been involved with the run/walk for a cumulative total of 22 years!

Jasmine Scaggs, NSU team coordinator encourages as many people as possible to participate next year, because "at an average of 1200 steps per mile x 30,815 people x 3.1 miles, that comes to 114,631,800 steps towards fitness. And, whether fast or slow, run or walk, each step helps achieve health, fitness, and money for leukemia research." All participants also receive a company t-shirt, an event t-shirt, and free food.



Knock knock.

Who's there?

Cardigan.

Cardigan who?

Oh, no! I went to the library and forgot my card-igan!

.....CONNECTING

QUESTION 1

What phrase do you see?

**PAID
I'M
WORKED**

FABULOUS RECIPE

Sarah Tabor

Documents Librarian at Nova Southeastern University Law Library—what a plum of a job!! At my interview: "and, of course our last librarian made wonderful lemon bars." I got the job!! And, yes, I too have a terrific "Lemon Bar" recipe:

LEMON BARS

Crust:

2 cups flour

Pinch of salt

1 cup cold butter

½ cup confectioners' sugar

Use a food processor with quick on/off movements. Dough should be like meal, not smooth. Press in to a 9"x13" baking pan. Bake 20 min. at 250 degrees until crust is golden. Remove from oven but do not cool.

Lemon Filling:

4 eggs

2 cups sugar

2 tablespoons flour

Juice of 2 lemons, (1/3 cup)

Mix all ingredients until light and foamy and pour immediately over the hot baked crust. Bake an additional 20 min. Cool on rack and sprinkle with powdered sugar.



THE RARE BEAR

Ask **Suzi Hayes** about her RED BEAR Collection. She acquired her first red bear, a Crayola crayon bear ten years ago, and now has six in her collection. Apparently red bears can be quite difficult to find.



THE PEOPLE WITH FUR

Vicky Zaetler, HPD Library

of my favorite things in
s my dog. He is a nine
old miniature schnauzer.
always keeps me busy
ing around after him.
e are times I will have to
d him for getting into his
rite thing, paper products.
r sheets are his favorite.
oves to snack on pretzels
pringles. He is extremely
ogenic and looks so cute
s holiday
s. My
s very
rtant to me.



THE WINNER IS....

ntly the Wellness Center
d an opportunity for NSU
yees to submit their
te health-conscious recipe
ublication in the Wellness
r Healthy Recipe Book. A
ng was held for all the
ts, and the three lucky
rs received a gift basket
with kitchen items. One
winner was HPD's very
Mahmuda Mondol. You
nd her recipe, *Chicken or*
GGC & Rice in the
book available now free of
: at the Wellness Center
d on the main campus.
y anytime for your free



QUESTION 3

What phrase do you see?

POGIRLRT
POGIRLRT
POGIRLRT

STAINED GLASS

Eight years ago **Merlin Spillers**, Cataloging Assistant in Consolidated Technical Services, joined a six-week stained glass class. Soon he was supporting himself with this craft. He will make large pictures when commissioned, but prefers smaller items. Currently he is working on a sun symbol and flowers, but has also created Southwest and abstract designs. His main objective is to keep his pieces affordable, so that everyone can enjoy his work.

CONGRATULATIONS to

Johanna Tunon, Head of Distance Library Services in the Einstein Library, who along with Kay Mussel edited North American Romance Writers. Lanham, Maryland: Scarecrow Press, Inc., 1999.

CONGRATULATIONS to

Diane Altimari's son, Gregory, who earned his Critical Care Certification in April '99. Gregory is a registered nurse who works in the critical care unit at North Ridge Medical Center.

QUESTION 4

What's the beginning of eternity
The end of time and space
The beginning of the end
And the end of every place?

BETH COHEN
EINSTEIN LIBRARY
ROOM 100

TECH TIPS by Dick Fredericksen**Shutting Down Windows Quickly**

Normally, shutting down Windows 95/98 is a four step process. Select New/Shortcut command from the shortcut menu. When the Create Shortcut wizard loads, type "c:\windows\rundll.exe user.exe, exit windows" in the text box. To continue, click Next. Select a name for the shortcut and Click finish. When you

want to shut down Windows, close all your applications as you normally would, then double-click on the new "Shut Down" icon. Sorry, this doesn't work for Windows NT.

Source: www.zdjournals.com

Searching for Company Names

First try typing

www.companyname.com in your browser. If that does not bring up

the right company, try typing <http://comfind.com>. This allows you to search for companies by name, category, product, or service.

Source: PC Computing, July, 1999

QUESTION 5:

What phrase do you see?

1 T 3 4 5

WHAT'S NEW AT.**EINSTEIN Library**

A warm welcome to **Wendy Zaman**, East Campus Branch Library Manager, **Larry Urist**, Acquisitions Manager, and **Pamela Beegle**, Reference Librarian.

Congratulations to **Mair Bonnin** and her husband, William. They are expecting the new boss of the Bonnin family in September.

The following librarians will be attending the American Library Association Conference in New Orleans the end of June: **Don Riggs**, **Harriett MacDougall**, **Paul Pival**, **Lia Hemphill**, **Johanna Tunon**, **Suzi Hayes**, and **Nora Quinlan**. **Paul** will also be a guest panelist on the program to discuss "Document Delivery Now! Managing Delivery Systems and Services Onsite and Elsewhere" on June 26th.

Congratulations to **Bonnie Marshak** who received a scholarship to cover the costs of attending the Jewish Libraries 34th Annual Convention. **Lia Hemphill** will speak there on "Current Issues in Technical Services."

Johanna Tunon spoke on "Library Services for Distance Students" at the Michigan Library Association meeting in May. She also spoke at the SLA Conference in June on "Asynchronous/Distance Instruction: A Case Study of the MBA Program at NSU."

Suzi Hayes attended the recent SLA Conference and is the outgoing president of the Special Libraries Association.

LAW Library

Welcome to **Jaimi Stout** who accepted the position of Acquisitions Manager.

Loree Givonetti, **Maxine Scheffler**, and **Sheryl Womack** attended the Florida Library Paraprofessional Workshop in Ft. Pierce.

Mary Paige Smith and **Donna Struthers** attended the Innovative Users Group Meeting in Jacksonville. **Diane Altimari** was a speaker at this conference.

Billie Jo Kaufman attended the Florida Bar CLE Retreat in Key West.

Tom Rogers presented Nova's system for maintaining a library web site at the National Online Meeting and IOLS '99 in New York.

Rhonda Gold spoke on "Overview of European Union and English Law" at a research workshop.

DID YOU KNOW THAT...

Tanya Feddern, Circulation Manager, at the HPD Library, grew up in the Florida Keys. Her father is a marine biologist, and the family business is collecting saltwater tropical fish and invertebrates. Her mother was a Manx cat breeder and cat show judge. Tanya is finishing up her Masters in NSU's Occupational Therapy program. She has been working at the HPD Library for two years and enjoys every minute. Way to go, Tanya!

Library Listings

Archives:	262-4642
East Campus:	262-4607
Einstein:	
Circulation	262-4601
Reference	262-4613
HPD:	
Circulation	262-3106
Reference	262-3117
Law:	
Circulation	262-6202
Reference	262-6201
Oceanography	929-1909

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HPD	Janice Gottlieb
Law	Billie Jo Kaufman